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Summary statement by the Secretary-General on matters of which the Security Council is seized and on the stage reached in their consideration

Addendum

Pursuant to rule 11 of the provisional rules of procedure of the Security Council, the Secretary-General is submitting the following summary statement.

The list of items of which the Security Council is seized is contained in documents S/2004/20 of 14 February 2004, S/2004/20/Add.4 of 5 March 2004 and S/2004/20/Add.12 of 7 May 2004.

During the week ending 3 April 2004, the Security Council took action on the following items:

The situation in Sierra Leone (*see* S/1995/40/Add.47; S/1996/15/Add.6, 11 and 48; S/1997/40/Add.21, 27, 31, 40 and 45; S/1998/44/Add.8, 11, 15, 20, 22, 28 and 50; S/1999/25 and Add.1, 9, 18, 22, 32, 41 and 48; S/2000/40/Add.5, 10, 17-19, 24, 26, 28, 30, 32, 35, 37, 43 and 50; S/2001/15/Add.4, 13, 26, 38 and 51; S/2002/30/Add.2, 12, 20, 27, 38 and 48; and S/2003/40/Add.12, 28 and 37; *see also* S/2001/15/Add.7, 10, 20 and 37; S/2002/30/Add.11 and 37; S/2003/40/Add.11 and 37; and S/2004/20/Add.12)

The Security Council resumed its consideration of the item at its 4938th meeting, held on 30 March 2004 in accordance with the understanding reached in its prior consultations, having before it the twenty-first report of the Secretary-General on the United Nations Mission in Sierra Leone (S/2004/228).

The President, with the consent of the Council, invited the representative of Sierra Leone, at his request, to participate in the discussion without the right to vote.

The President drew attention to a draft resolution (S/2004/256) that had been prepared in the course of the Council's prior consultations.

The Security Council proceeded to vote on draft resolution S/2004/256, and adopted it unanimously as resolution 1537 (2004) (for the text, see S/RES/1537 (2004); to be issued in *Official Records of the Security Council, Resolutions and Decisions of the Security Council, 1 August 2003-31 July 2004*).

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Threats to international peace and security caused by terrorist acts (*see* S/2001/15/Add.37, 39 and 46; S/2002/30/Add.2, 15, 25, 39-42, 49 and 50; S/2003/40/Add.2, 6, 7, 13, 18, 29, 30, 33, 41 and 46; and S/2004/40/Add.2, 4, 9, 10 and 12; *see also* S/1998/44/Add.32; and S/2003/40/Add.3)

The Security Council resumed its consideration of the item at its 4939th meeting, held on 30 March 2004 in accordance with the understanding reached in its prior consultations.

The President stated that, following consultations of the Council, he had been authorized to make a statement on behalf of the Council and read out the text of that statement (for the text, see S/PRST/2004/8; to be issued in *Official Records of the Security Council, Resolutions and Decisions of the Security Council, 1 August 2003-31 July 2004*).

The situation in Cyprus (*see* S/11185/Add.28, 29, 32, 34 and 49; S/11593/Add.7-10, 23, 24 and 49; S/11935/Add.23, 24 and 50; S/12269/Add.24, 35-37 and 50; S/12520/Add.23, 45, 47 and 49; S/13033/Add.23 and 49, S/13737/Add.23 and 49; S/14326/Add.22 and 50; S/14840/Add.24 and 50; S/15560/Add.24, 46 and 50; S/16270/Add.17, 18, 23 and 49; S/16880/Add.23, 37 and 49; S/17725/Add.23 and 49; S/18570/Add.23 and 50; S/19420/Add.24 and 50; S/20370/Add.22 and 49; S/21100/Add.10, 23, 28, 49 and 50; S/22110/Add.23, 40, 49 and 51; S/23370/Add.14, 23, 28, 34, 47 and 50; S/25070/Add.19, 21, 23 and 50; S/1994/20/Add.9, 23, 29 and 50; S/1995/40/Add.24 and 50; S/1996/15/Add.25 and 51; S/1997/40/Add.25 and 51; S/1998/44/Add.26 and 51; S/1999/25/Add.25 and 49; S/2000/40/Add.23 and 49; S/2001/15/Add.24 and 50; S/2002/30/Add.23, 39 and 47; and S/2003/40/Add.14, 15, 23 and 47; *see also* S/2001/15/Add.49; S/2002/30/Add.22 and 46; and S/2003/40/Add.22 and 46)

The Security Council resumed its consideration of the item at its 4940th meeting, held on 2 April 2004 in accordance with the understanding reached in its prior consultations.

In accordance with the understanding reached in the Council's prior consultations, the President, with the consent of the Council, extended an invitation under rule 39 of the Council's provisional rules of procedure to Alvaro de Soto, Special Adviser to the Secretary-General on Cyprus.